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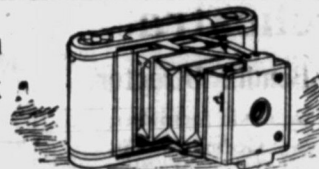
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FOR ORGAN FUND

The entertainment given on Thursday evening in the vestry of the Pleasant Street Congregational church by the Young People's Christian Endeavor society, in aid of the organ fund, was successfully rendered. A good audience was present and everybody enjoyed the play. "No Cure, No Pay" was the heading of the programme, which was the following:

PART I.
Galop C. Kolting
Miss Annabelle Parker, H. B. Wood.
Dramatis Personae:
Mrs. Languish, who has lately acquired wealth.
Alice, her daughter.
Lucy Aiken,
Jenny Carter, Friends of Alice.
Susan Dean,
Aunt Midget, a little hard of hearing.
Bridget, queen of the kitchen.
Winter Lullaby, DoKoven
Miss May Wallace.

PART II.
Come Where My Love Lies
Dreaming, Poster

A Belated Violet, Clayton Johns
A Fable, Miss Grace M. Lockhart.

Reading Miss Elizabeth Roache
Violin Solo Mr. Fred W. Derby
La Mystere, Miss Terry
Die Mysterie, Miss Terry
Mysterium, Miss Terry

Primus Actus Quovis Die
Secundus Actus Zehn Jahre darauf

The entertainment committee did a most sensible thing in requesting and "entertaining with pertinacious importunity, that all plumed toques be removed from the heads of the fair sex," during the play. Just previous to the opening of the play, the audience was put in its best temper and sweetest mood by the candies sold.

It is always with hesitation that we mention individual names where all did so well, and yet we can hardly do other than to favorably emphasize the two violin solos by Fred W. Derby, and the readings by Miss Elizabeth Roache. The young people of the Pleasant street Christian Endeavor Society have acted a noble, generous part in pledging \$100 for the organ fund. The entertainment given on Thursday evening was in keeping with that pledge.

MARRIED.

That was a brilliant wedding which occurred on Wednesday at midday in the Church of the Immanuel, Boston, where the contracting parties were Miss Grace Frances Orday formerly of Arlington and Mr. William Herace Chapin of Springfield. The bride was gowned in crepe de chine, and wore a bridal tulle veil, carrying a bouquet of lilies of the valley. Miss Orday came down the broad aisle of the church leaning upon the arm of her brother-in-law, Dr. Woodbury, to the suggestive music of the organ. The bride's two little nieces, the Misses Esther and Ruth Woodbury, who were attendants of the bride, wore white dotted Swiss muslin with pink trimmings. The wedding breakfast was had at the Brunswick. Among the Arlington friends present were Judge Hardy and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sears, Mr. and Mrs. Elliot, Miss Babson, Mrs. Wellington Hardy and Miss Hardy, Miss Grace Gage. Mr. and Mrs. Chapin are to reside in Springfield where Mr. Chapin is the proprietor of the Massasoit House. The many friends of Mrs. Chapin here in Arlington will extend her their best wishes and congratulations.

ARLINGTON BOAT CLUB.

A fine oyster stew will be served to the members on Saturday evening, Nov. 11. It is hoped a large number will be present.

Thursday evening, Nov. 16, will be gentlemen's night, and Mr. Edwin D. Rood, who was director of the famous Hindoo jugglers at the World's fair, has been engaged to give the evening's entertainment. Mr. Rood has appeared before the leading clubs of this country and England, and he ought to make the evening exceptionally enjoyable.

The entertainment committee has made arrangements with the famous Criterion club of Boston to give under the auspices of the Boat club a dramatic entertainment entitled "A Night Off." This entertainment will be given in the Town hall, Jan. 9, and it is the intention of the entertainment committee to charge an admittance. By so doing it is expected to defray the expenses incurred by giving attractions at the club house during the season. Consequently we hope the members will keep this date in mind and open, so that a large sale of seats may be insured.

Tuesday's game was won by team 8. Team 8. Durgin 494, G A Wheeler 537, Jordan 412, Brockway 390, Atwood 389; strings 721, 733, 768-2222. Team 5. Dodge 501, Fowle 427, Hill 375, Elliott 333, E F Sawyer 469; strings 631, 799, 675-2105.

WELL RECEIVED

On Thursday evening a reception was given the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Fister in the vestry of the Universalist church, by the church and society of which Mr. Fister is pastor. The room was tastefully decorated with palms, garlands of laurel, chrysanthemums and white lilies. What was termed the "cozy room" arranged and fixed up in one corner of the room, attracted the attention of everybody, and well it might, for in itself it was an underscored invitation for one to choose his fair partner and retire to the "corner" with its pleasant surroundings and have a chat upon subjects of mutual interest. The committee on decorations were the following: Mrs. William H. Potter, chairman; Mrs. Bott, Mrs. Coolidge, Mrs. Mead, Mrs. Sunergren and Mrs. George Tufts. Committee on refreshments—Mr. Wadleigh and Mr. William Winn. Many were the wishes tendered Mr. and Mrs. Fister for their continued happiness and prosperity. During the evening Mr. and Mrs. Fister were presented with a china cabinet, and a solid silver fruit dish. The evening was enlivened with vocal and instrumental music. The average Universalist just understands the philosophy of greeting and making welcome his minister and his wife, and the average Universalist minister and his wife well understand how to meet their people. The fact is there is a social element in the Universalist church, which recognizes the universal brotherhood. Both pastor and people of this denomination get close to each other and so come to know each other, and consequently become interested in each other. The reception on Thursday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Fister was only one of those pleasant outcomes of a religious denomination which believes that God made this magnificent world of ours for just such beings as we are, and what is better than all else, that He has another world, an improvement on this, in keeping for us. With such an acceptance of what is, and with such a glorious faith of what is to be, why shouldn't our Universalist friends be social and happy? We have no little admiration for their sensible way in doing things.

ASSEMBLY.

The first of a series of five assemblies to be held in Grand Army hall under the management of Miss Martha E. Langley occurred on Tuesday evening, and brought out many of the society people of Arlington. The ladies were tastefully gowned. Mrs. Edwin Stickney was in blue organdie. Mrs. O. R. Whittemore wore a dress of gray silk, white chiffon, and black lace. Mrs. William B. Wood was gowned in white organdie; she received with Miss Langley who wore rose figured muslin and lace over blue silk. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Devereaux, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Wood, Mr. E. Sidney Berry and Miss Berry of Cambridge, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Cutting, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Whittemore, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Hall, Dr. and Mrs. Edwin P. Stickney, Mrs. Edgar H. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Temple, Mr. Frank D. Sawyer, Mrs. Walter Mooers, Mr. McDonald of Cambridge, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Moore and Mr. E. Parker. Poole's orchestra furnished the music. The evening was a thoroughly delightful one, and the company altogether agreeable and select. Miss Langley under whose management these assemblies are held, is a young lady of many accomplishments, and possesses all that graceful ease which enters so largely into the terpsichorean art.

NOTICE.

To the Members of Division 23, A.O.H. BROTHERS:—In accordance with a vote passed at the last meeting of the corporation, you are ordered to be present at the next regular meeting, Tuesday evening, Nov. 21, 1899, to act on matters of importance.

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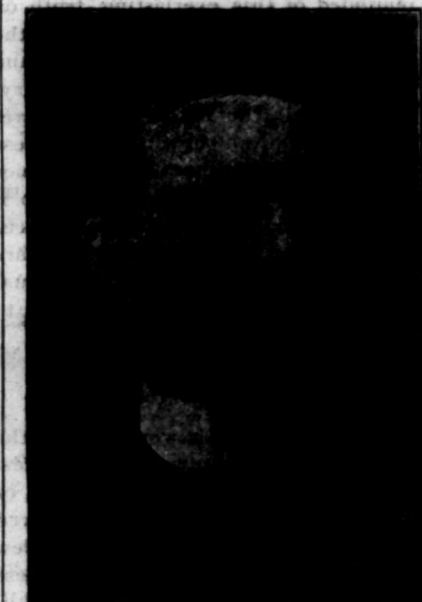
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HON. J. HOWELL CROSBY.

That grand minstrel show and dance by the Arlington Glee club, which is to occur on Thursday evening, Dec. 14, in the town hall under the auspices of the Arlington Council K. of C., is bound to draw.

Do not forget that either on the very early morning of Nov. 15 or 16, there is to be a brilliant meteoric display in the heavens; so it will be in-order that the young man who may be sitting close beside his best girl on either of the above mornings, turn down the gas, that they both may the better see these "shooting stars," and yet we'll venture, that the most brilliant star the young man will see, will be the star beside him.

A special vesper will be held in the First Parish Unitarian church next Sunday evening, beginning at 7 o'clock, precisely. The music will be furnished by the quartette choir of the Orthodox Congregational church of Winchester, Mr. Joshua Phippen, director. An elaborate programme has been prepared, including an organ recital of 15 minutes and six numbers by the choir. At this service a collection will be taken up. The public is cordially invited.

Special music at the Baptist church Sunday evening will be an added attraction to the address to be given by Mr. Trueblood at the extra 7.30 o'clock service. Mrs. Flora Ames Anderson, formerly of the Fedette orchestra, will be present, and besides giving a violin solo at offertory, will play the obligato to "Dream of Paradise," which will be sung by Mr. Groesbeck of Lynn, the bass of the choir. The choir will also sing "The Radiant Morn Has Passed Away" by Woodward; and "The King of Love My Shepherd Is" by Shelley. Mr. William E. Wood will preside at the organ. At the morning service the choir will sing "O God, Who is Like Unto Thee" by Gale; "How Amiable Are Thy Tabernacles," Schnecker; "Rejoice in the Lord, (alto and bass duet) Schnecker. Dr. Upham is to preach in exchange with Dr. Watson. Everybody is invited to both services. The evening exercises should attract a large congregation.

Our Universalist friends do not forget to observe the seasons as they come and go. We now have in mind the Harvest Supper which they had on Tuesday evening in the vestry of their church. The room was timely decorated with samples of the abundant harvest; upon the platform were stacks of the ripened corn, and vegetables such as only Arlington can grow. The supper was under the supervision of Mrs. Charles Coolidge, assisted by Mrs. Butterfield, Mrs. William Winn, Mrs. Wadleigh, Mrs. Joseph Ronco and others. During the evening, after supper, the Rev. Mr. Rice of Japan gave an interesting talk upon his work in that country, and then the Rev. Mr. Preble, distinguished as the "wit" of the Universalist Church gave a humorous and instructive off-hand address. The Rev. Mr. Fister pastor of the church was exceedingly happy in his remarks. Mrs. Fister presided at the piano and rendered some choice selections. The church quartette rendered some of its best music. The evening was in every way a social success and did credit to that season of the year, when we are all expected to come "bringing our sheaves with us."

HON. FRANKLIN E. HUNTRESS.

Tuesday was an ideal election day. It was Huntress and Crosby weather in every way. The day brought no surprises as there were none to bring. It was a foregone conclusion weeks ago who would be our next senator and representative. The citizens of the town were perfectly satisfied with J. Howell Crosby's year's work in the lower house and were only too glad to have him succeed himself. The people of the senatorial district were equally eager to have Franklin E. Huntress serve in the upper house, for with such men in the State House they knew their interests would be honestly and faithfully looked after.

The voting throughout the day was light, and when the polls were closed only 657 had improved the greatest privilege an American has.

The counting of the ballots required but a short time and Chairman Farmer announced the following result:

For Governor.	
W. Murray Crane.	462
Robert Treat Pine, Jr.,	141
Lieutenant Governor.	
John L. Bates.	474
John H. Mack,	129
Secretary.	
William M. Olin,	475
Henry Lloyd,	109
Treasurer.	
Edward S. Bradford,	482
Joseph J. Flynn,	103
Auditor.	
John W. Kimball,	480
Elbridge Gerry Brown,	103
Attorney-General.	
Heese M. Knowlton,	402
John H. Morrison,	109
Councillor, Third District.	
Oliver H. Durrell,	491
John W. Lucas,	115
Senator, Third Middlesex District.	
Franklin E. Huntress	483
Alvah E. Dearborn,	131
Representative in General Court, 13th Middlesex District.	
J. Howell Crosby	569
County Commissioner, Middlesex.	
Levi S. Gould,	515
Sheriff, Middlesex County.	
John R. Fairbairn,	533

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ARLINGTON NEWS.

Thanksgiving Day two weeks from next Thursday.

Mr. Patrick Ryder, who was badly hurt last Friday, is slowly recovering.

An adjourned town meeting will be held in the Town hall on Monday, Nov. 20.

It is now Senator Huntress. Crosby and Huntress will make the strongest kind of a team for Arlington.

The Rev. Mr. Bushnell is to make an exchange on Sunday morning with the Rev. Daniel Evans of Cambridge.

Just look in at Greene's show window and see the young man from "Boston," looking both ways for Sunday.

The Clover Lend-a-hand Club held its last meeting at the residence of Mrs. Herbert Adams on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Warren Fletcher, formerly a resident of Arlington, was in town on Thursday, shaking hands with old friends.

We are glad to learn that Mr. Robert Dinsmore of Summer street is recovering from his illness of nervous prostration.

William T. Wood & Co. are simply rushed with orders. Never before has this well known firm been as busy as now.

The High School polo team will soon commence practice in the basement of the school. It is to be a strong team this year.

It is altogether a pleasant sight to see Chief Harriman at his headquarters again. Mr. Harriman is recovering his usual health.

Miss Ida G. Law was a guest on Tuesday evening at a musicale given in the parlors of the Waverly House in Charlestown.

Messrs. Fred A. Damon and A. A. Tilden, accompanied by Elliott E. Gove, are out for a hunt in the woods of Me. Big game is looked for.

Dr. and Mrs. Lawrence Peirce are to be congratulated on the arrival to their home of a promising boy. The bright, little fellow made his appearance on Thursday night.

The next regular meeting of the Arlington Woman's club will occur on Thursday, Nov. 16, in Grand Army hall. Miss Mary A. Denson will speak on "Domestic Service."

Mr. R. W. LeBaron and his father, Mr. Joseph S. LeBaron, are back again from their outing of pleasure. Both report an excellent time and plenty of game was bagged.

While it is interesting to find so many of our people at the Robbins library most any afternoon, it is quite surprising to take into the account those whom you seldom or never see there.

By an exchange of pulpits with the pastor, Dr. A. G. Upham, pastor of the Stoughton street Baptist church, Boston will preach at the Baptist church on Sunday morning.

The Park Avenue Congregational church shows itself enterprising and up to date in that course of four lectures and two entertainments for which it has arranged. Secure your tickets early.

John D. Rosie, who makes up in the latest styles of suitings, overcoatings and trousers, is distinguishing himself in fitting and making up the most fashionable of wearing apparel for ladies. Mr. Rosie is busy all the while.

The additions and alterations to St. Malachy's church are going rapidly on. It is expected that the annex will be roofed by the first of December. When completed the audience room of St. Malachy's will seat 1100.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kenna and two daughters attended the wedding of Miss Martha A. Kenna, sister of Mr. Kenna, at the parental home in Concord, to Mr. John Connorton, an officer in the infantry. It occurred on Tuesday.

Mr. Herbert L. Kidder will be editor of the High School Clarion for the month of December. He is well adapted for the work. Mr. Warren Russell resigned, being unable to do justice to the paper on account of his many studies this year.

The sudden death of Miss Katherine E. Gibbons on Tuesday at her home on Linwood street is peculiarly sad to her many friends. She expired in her mother's arms. The funeral of the deceased at St. Malachy's church on Thursday was attended by nearly 600 of her friends and acquaintances. The casket, lavender colored, was almost entirely hidden beneath its wealth of flowers. The Rev. John M. Mulcahy officiated. Interment in St. Paul's cemetery.

Mr. Kimball, our superintendent of streets, has greatly improved Forest street. It will be remembered that this street is well up towards the Heights, leading off towards Winchester. It was somewhat of a by-way until Mr. Kimball put his levelling machines at work and so opened up a passable highway.

Supt. Kimball and wife start Monday for Hawford county, Texas, to visit his daughter, Mrs. Crosby. Mr. and Mrs. Kimball will go by rail and return by water on the Galveston line of steamers. Mr. Kimball intends making a tour of the state during his two months' stay.

We learn that a former parishioner of the Rev. John M. Mulcahy when at South Boston, died some six months ago leaving Fr. Mulcahy \$300 for kindness shown him at various times. We further learn that Fr. Mulcahy at once gave \$100 of the bequest for charitable purposes in Boston. It would seem that Fr. Mulcahy "doesn't want the earth."

The benefit for the High School Athletic club which is dated for Wednesday evening, Nov. 22, in the Town hall, should draw a packed house. The

Tufts College Glee, Mandolin and Guitar clubs are billed for the vocal and instrumental entertainment. Let's give the boys a send-off.

The Arlington Harness Company is one of the most enterprising and reliable business firms in Arlington. There is nothing in its line of work that is not thoroughly and promptly done. Send this company your orders, where they will receive immediate attention.

The big auction which is to be held by Mr. F. E. Critchett, auctioneer, 56 Main street, Watertown, on Wednesday, Nov. 22, on the premises of Richard M. Johnson, 59 Winter street, Arlington, ought to bring together the crowd, for the sale is to be a large one. Read Mr. Critchett's advertisement in another column.

We should have written in its proper place, that Mrs. Wadleigh made at the reception given the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Fister on Thursday evening the presentation speech accompanied the beautiful gifts to Mrs. Fister, and that Mr. Fister made a happy reply of acceptance for his wife.

On Sunday evening the religious exercises in connection with the celebration of the 10th anniversary of the young people's society connected with the Universalist church will be held. There will be special speaking and singing. On Wednesday evening the social function will be held.

On Friday afternoon Mrs. W. H. N. Francis entertained the Clover Lend-a-hand club at her home 10 Whittemore street. On Friday evening, Nov. 24, Mr. W. H. N. Francis will give his dramatic entertainment in the vestry of the Unitarian church. To be sure of your date, you should see how it reads in the Enterprise.

It is a singular experience for one who has long been a resident of New York to attend a town meeting where smoking is not allowed. But fortunately this is just the condition of things here in Arlington and in other localities of New England. On Long Island it would be difficult to see across any polling place on election day by reason of the dense smoke, and this too not always from the purest Havana. But then New England is always so proper, God bless her, that she seldom or never does anything out of the way. Those Long Islanders, among the best fellows in the world, will smoke in spite of time or place.

Mrs. George W. Knowlton of White, more street is at Waterboro, Me., for her health. Mr. Edward A. Knowlton, her son, has been spending a few days with her. Mrs. Knowlton's wide circle of friends trust she will return greatly improved in health. Mr. Knowlton started for Portland Thursday and Mrs. Knowlton will return with him some time next week.

A meeting of the committee on the Congregational organ fund was held on Thursday evening at the Congregational parsonage on Maple street, when it was voted to purchase an organ of Hutchins of Boston. It is expected that the new organ will find its proper place in the church sufficiently early to render "Happy New Year, Happy New Year to All."

The Arlington Golf Club is constantly increasing its membership. Over a hundred names are upon the list at this writing. The maximum number is to be one hundred and fifty. It is the wish of the club that all Arlington and Belmont shall first have the opportunity of joining although the books are open for all wherever they may reside. The Golf Club is an assured success.

On Sunday evening, Nov. 12, Dr. Benjamin F. Trueblood will deliver an address in the auditorium of the Arlington Baptist church, on the subject of "Universal Peace and International Arbitration." Dr. Trueblood is the secretary of the American Peace Society, and is well known as an able and interesting speaker upon this important subject. Music will be furnished by the choir of the church. An inspiring meeting is anticipated. Anyone interested is cordially invited to be present.

It has been for the past 15 years with the greatest possible reluctance that we have gathered the detailed election returns for publication in the localities where we have resided, for the reason that the returns have been in such a mixed or confused state, that it was always a good day's work to cipher out definite results for publication. But Town Clerk Locke has in his office everything in shape, so that the total vote for each candidate from the state ticket down, we took in 15 minutes. Mr. Locke surely does things so that results are easily reached.

There was one man made happy in Arlington this week. Mr. Weston of Cleveland street has been the organist at the old parish of St. Mary's in Newton, and the organ there is said to be at least 85 years old, and not, therefore, a particularly desirable one for an organist of Mr. Weston's ability. It was with much pleasure therefore, he learned that on Monday evening the vote was passed to purchase an organ valued at nearly three thousand dollars. It will be in place at Christmas time, and Mr. Weston says he wishes nothing more than this in his stocking.

Miss Ida G. Law attended a musical which was given in the parlors of the Waverly House, Charlestown, Tuesday evening. Many of the best known artists attended. After the musical Miss Law was entertained by Miss Lida Lowe, the noted accompanist, and Mrs. Tate, whose husband was formerly United States consul to the West Indies.

Most of our Arlington people must have noticed that beautiful maltese cat which is to be seen at all hours of the day and night at our police station. So interested have we become in that attractive specimen of a cat, that we have informed ourselves as far as possible of its history. It is something like three years ago that this maltese made its way to the police station, and begged permission, so far as its silent appeals could be understood, to be admitted and to be protected from the heartless treatment of the cold, cold world. The cat at the time of its entrance to the police station was a pitiful looking object. Presumably it had been ejected from many a home in Arlington, where it had vainly attempted to make its abode—so at last as a 'poor lone wanderer' it made its way to Chief of Police Harriman, and fortunately so fastened itself upon both his pity and good graces, that it has now become the pet of our police station. "Tommie," this is his name, is loyal to every form of law and order. He no longer makes night hideous, as many another cat does, in the back yard of some Christian family which desires to sleep the sleep of the just. Tommie is continuously on his good behavior. He evinces no disposition to run after strange cats. He is to be found at home during the 24 hours of each day, and this too every day in the week. No cat of wandering disposition, or cur of low degree can enter the police station so long as Tommie is around. When Heywood wrote that "a cat may look upon a king," he must have had in mind just such a cat as is Tommie.

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Made Her Father Governor.

Mr. Young and some friends had been discussing the political outlook in Kentucky at Mr. Young's house in Louisville one night, just on the eve of the Democratic state convention, several years ago. When the party broke up, Mr. Young's daughter, then about 18 years old, now married, who had been an interested listener during the discussion, spoke up:

"Why don't you run for governor, pa?"

"Why, my child, they would never think of me for that office. No one cares enough about me for that."

"But, pa, would you accept the nomination if it were offered you?"

"Why, of course I would; nobody would refuse the honor."

Miss Young said no more at the time, but quietly slipped out of the house and started in the direction of The Courier-Journal office, Colonel Henry Watterson being an intimate friend of the family. It happened that she met the veteran editor in the street.

"Ah, Uncle Henry, will you do me a favor?" the young woman asked impulsively.

"Anything in the world that I can do I will."

"Well, I want pa to be governor of Kentucky, and can you get him the nomination?"

Colonel Watterson turned back to the office and sat down and wrote a spirited editorial, demanding in the interests of the Democratic party that John Brown Young be nominated by the convention soon to meet. The result was in accordance with the noted editor's wishes, Mr. Young's election being a foregone conclusion.—Chicago Chronicle.

Good and Bad Eels.

"So you think that little eels are sweet and that big eels are rank and strong, do you?" said a fish dealer. "Well, you're off. It isn't the size of the eel that governs his taste. It is his habitation and way of life. But most people think as you do, and throw away the big eel and cook the little one, and then, if the little fellow is strong, they think it is because he wasn't little enough. Nothing could be further from the truth."

"The eel that inhabits a stream with a hard, clean, sandy bottom is sweet and edible, be he as big as your leg or tiny as your finger, for this eel finds food scarce, and he must exercise and keep sober and hustle—else he will starve—and this active career makes him healthy and wholesome. But the eel that lives in the mud, where provisions are plentiful, is unfit for the table, for his life is sluggish, his habits and organs are bad and his flesh, when cooked, tastes and smells of the muddy element. That is why the Schuykill eel is worse than carrion for table purposes, while the eel of the upper Delaware makes a dainty dish."—Philadelphia Record.

More Miles Than You Can Count.

Statements as to the distance of the pole star from the earth which have appeared in some of the newspapers lately have been ridiculously inadequate. One of the estimates made is 255,000,000 miles. Now, if one will remember that the sun is 93,000,000 miles away and that its light comes to us in eight minutes, he will see that if the foregoing estimate of the distance of the pole star were right its beams could reach us in about 15 days. It would be only about 2,700 times as far off as the sun.

Light travels 6,000,000,000,000 miles in a year, and even the most modest guesses as to the parallax of Polaris make it 35 light years. Pritchard's estimate in 1887 was 90 light years, but he has since modified his figures. Hence, if one will write 210 and add 12 ciphers thereto he will have the number of miles which the most conservative authorities believe intervene between the earth and the pole star.—New York Tribune.

Shakespeare's Father.

A paper entitled "Shakespeare and Sanitation" was read at the recent provincial meeting of the Incorporated Society of Medical Officers of Health at Stratford-on-Avon. Among other things the author related the following: "It is interesting to find that the name of John Shakespeare, the father of the poet, first appears in the records of the municipality as owing a fine of twopence for having made a dirt heap with his neighbors, Adrien Quincy and Henry Reynolds, in Henly street, and on another occasion he 'stood amerced' in fourpence for failing to keep his gutter clean."

None Better Than All.

Miss Gingham—And I suppose they have bargain days in Glasgow, Mr. McIvor?

McIvor—Ma conscience, no! It was no do ava!

Miss Gingham—Indeed! Why, I thought bargain days would just suit your people!

McIvor—That's just it. It would suit them over well. If they had bargain days, naeboddy wad buy anything on the ither days, ye ken!—London Telegraph.

An Unexpected Answer.

In the course of an address Dr. Conan Doyle told a quaint experience of his in the Sudan. Wishing to find out whether one of the black soldiers was a Mohammedan or a pagan, he asked him, "Whom do you worship?" "I worship my colonel," came the answer, pat.

The lessons of history would suggest to a Sherlock Holmes that the man was a Mohammedan.



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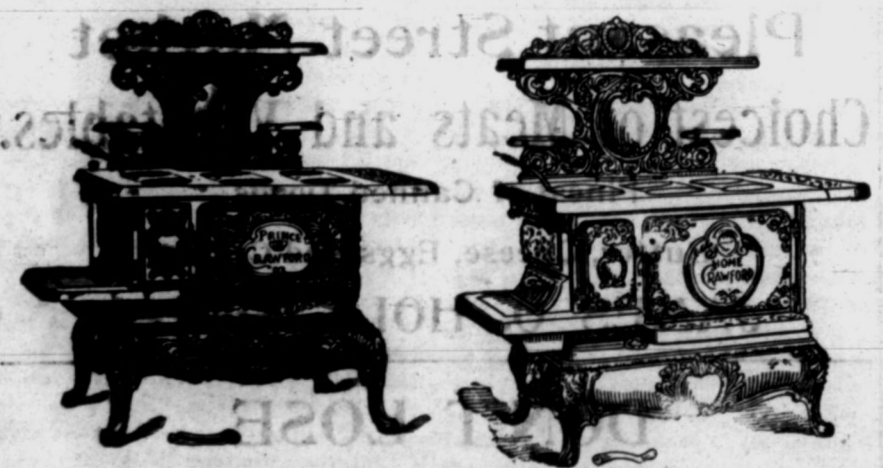
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ARLINGTON HEIGHTS.

Miss Trefethen visited friends in
Quincy on Tuesday.

Prof. Thomas Tooker of Maine, was a
guest on Monday of Mrs. Brandenburg.

The Endeavor prayer meeting on
Sunday evening at 6.30 will be lead by
Miss Bennett.

It is probable that Mr. J. C. Holmes
and family will again spend the winter
in Cambridge.

George Reed has returned home from
Stoddard, N. H., where he expects to
remain for the winter.

The regular weekly meeting of the
M. M. Club was held at the resi-
dence of Mrs. Holbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Nutting of Barton
Landing, Vt., are guests of Mrs. Lewis
of Westminster avenue.

Mrs. Warren Menchin of Westmin-
ster, is spending a few days at her
former home in Winchester.

Four were received into the mem-
bership of the Park Avenue Church at the
communion service last Sunday morn-
ing.

Mrs. E. M. Currier of North Weare,
N. H., was a guest on Sunday and Mon-
day of Mrs. M. M. Currier of Hillside
avenue.

Mr. Brandenburg and Professor
Tooker took a trip to Concord river on
Monday, and returned with a fine string
of bass and pickerel.

Mr. J. K. Simpson and his daughter
Mazie will probably remain in Boston
another week with their Aunt, Mrs.
Loud, until Christmas.

The new Arlington Heights Baptist
Church building is nearing completion;
it is likely to be ready for occupancy
by the opening of the New Year.

The Rev. Mr. Ely formerly pastor of
the Park Avenue Church, is so far re-
covered from his recent illness as to be
the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Holmes.

The next meeting of the Sunshine
club will be held on Wednesday after-
noon of next week at the residence of
Mrs. E. P. White, Florence avenue.

Wallace Bros. are well up in all
grades of painting, decorating, whitening,
tinting, glazing, graining and
paper hanging. All orders left with
them will be promptly filled.

On Tuesday evening the Middlesex
Central Christian Endeavor Union is to
give a supper and entertainment to the
sailors of the Boston Seamen's society
on Hanover street, Boston.

On Wednesday afternoon the Sun-
shine Club held its meeting at the home
of Mrs. Leander Peirce. There were
four tables at progressive whist. The 1st
ladies prize went to Mrs. Jernegan, the
2d to Mrs. Davidson. Refreshments
were served.

Mr. P. E. Bacon formerly of this
place, will receive the deepest sym-
pathy of his many friends in this locality,
in the recent death of Mrs. Bacon, one
of the most estimable of women. Her
death occurred at her late home in Way-
land.

Miss Harriet Bigelow daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. George Y. Youngs formerly
of the Heights, was married on Thurs-
day Nov. 2d to Mr. Alvin Wilson Com-
stock of New Haven, Connecticut. They
will be "at home" on Thursday even-
ing Dec. 7th.

The committee on the supper to be
given on the evening of Nov. 16th in
the Park Avenue Congregational
Church, is as follows: Mrs. Averill, Mrs.
William Nourse, Mrs. Tukey, Mrs.
Goodwillie, and Mrs. Dissten. This
supper is to be given in connection with
the first of the entertainments of which
we wrote in our last issue.

The regular services will occur in the
Park Avenue Congregational Church
on Sunday. At the morning service the
Rev. J. G. Taylor of Cambridge will
preach. At 12.15 noon Sabbath School
and Bible Class. At 4 p. m. Junior C.
E. meeting. At 6.30 p. m. Y. P. S. C.
E. in charge of Missionary Committee.
At 7.30 p. m. praise and testimony
meeting. You are cordially invited to
these services.

Mr. Walter B. Farmer's horse, Ar-
lington and Bengin, Jr. arrived at his
stables Friday night from Readville.
Arlington comes home the champion
wagon race horse of the world and the
fastest wagon horse of New England.
He has won three silver and gold cups,
whose total value is \$1400 and three
blue ribbons. Bengin is a three year
old colt with a mark of 2.27 1-2 over a
half-mile track, and is considered by
best horsemen to be one of the fastest
prospects in this country. He has re-
fused several large offers for this colt
already, and intends to race him when
matured in matinees. He has sold his
handsome chestnut mare Britta for a
good price. She is also being a success-
ful wagon horse at the Boston Gentle-
men's Driving club matinees at Read-
ville, taking a mark of 2.19 to road
wagon.

The first lecture in the course will be
given in the Park Ave. Church next
Thursday evening Nov. 16. The Rev.
Daniel Evans the pastor of the North
Avenue Congregational Church, will
deliver a lecture on "Life in the coal
mines." A large audience ought to be
present for it will surely be interesting.
The lecture will be preceded by one
of the suppers under the management

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of the Ladies Aid Society. Supper will
be served at 6.30 p. m. Lecture begins
at 8.15 p. m. Be sure to take both in.
Supper 10 cents, single admission to
lecture 25 cents, season ticket \$1.

The young people's auxiliary of the
Baptist Church held its regular monthly
meeting at the residence of Mrs. Streeter
on Claremont ave. on Tuesday evening.
Mrs. Wanamaker, the president, presi-
ded. Miss Lillian Jukes, the first on
the programme rendered a piano solo
which was heartily endorsed, to which
Miss Jukes responded by rendering an-
other enjoyable selection. Mr. Kimball
Farmer read, "the old pine-needle path"
much to the acceptance of his audience.
"Barbara Fritchie" was rendered in a
pleasant way by Mr. McCloud of New-
ton Theological seminary, a classmate of
Rev. Mr. Lorimer. In answer to an
encore Mr. McCloud recited in a variety
of humorous ways, "Mary had a little
lamb." At this point another piano
solo was rendered by Miss Jukes. A
recitation in German was given by
Miss Gerlie Finley. A paper by Rev.
Mr. Lorimer upon "the Founders of
English Literature," was an instructive
production, telling much of Spencer,
Bacon, Shakespeare, and other early
writers. A recitation was given by Miss
Streeter, entitled "The wreck of the
Mary Wiley." The entire evening was
much enjoyed by the large company
present. It was voted that the meeting
for next month shall be had in the form
of a public entertainment, due notice of
which will be given.

TO THE EDITOR:

In your last issue you published a
paragraph under the Heights news,
referring to frequent fights by boys of
the Locke school. It is nothing new to
hear of schoolboys fighting. Boys fight
with each other one day and are the
best of chums the next day. Their
parents tell them not to fight, but where
will you find a boy who will stand by
and allow another boy to strike him?
Can the parents go with them to and
from school? As to families being
annoyed by frequent quarrels, I think
that if they did not want to see them
fight they need not look at them.

J. T. L.

We gladly publish the above from
one of the prominent fathers at the
Heights. Governor Theodore Roose-
velt of New York says the boy that
wont fight is of but little account, and
the Governor goes so far as to allow a
brutal prize fight in his state without
lifting a finger to prevent it. Still, we
do not believe that "Teddy" is right in
his excessive view of fighting muscle.

Miss Kate McCartney who with her
parents is stopping at Dr. Ring's Sanito-
rium, was given a pleasant surprise
on Saturday evening, the occasion be-
ing the anniversary of her birthday. Any
occasion celebrated at Dr. Ring's popu-
lar house must necessarily be a success.

Among those present were the follow-
ing: Mr. Cameron, Miss Lillian Jukes,
Miss Wallace, Miss McDonald, Miss
Eva Johnson, Miss Finley, Miss Gerlie
Finley, Mr. Will Finley, Miss Beddoes,
Mr. Earl Beddoes, Mrs. Jones, Grace
Baxter, Minnie Harris, Miss Bernard,
Kimball Farmer, Wilson Palmer of the
Enterprise, Mr. McCloud of Newton,
Mr. and Mrs. McKinnon, Mrs. Schu-
macher and son Henry, Frank Kindred,
Mrs. Homer, Mrs. Jardine, Mr. and
Mrs. Frazer, Mr. and Mrs. Tingley, Mr.
Swadkins, Mr. Bean, Mrs. Worthing-
ton, Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. Wanamaker,
Mrs. Trefethen, Mrs. Davidson, Miss
Campbell, Mrs. Streeter, Miss Sadie
Campbell, Miss Spear and Miss Wright.

The Middlesex Central Christian En-
deavor Union held their autumn rally
on Wednesday evening in the Park Ave.
Congregational church. Mr. G. Stan-
ley Whitehead, president, presided.
First there came a social hour and re-
freshments in the lecture room of the
church. Margaret Henderson had the
general management of the well laden
tables, assisted by Florence Gardner,
Anna Holbrook, Etta Tewksbury and
Herbert Snow. The main auditorium
of the church was decorated with the
intertwining of the United States flag
and the Christian Endeavor society
flag, and with choice flowers and
autumn leaves. There were 17 societies
of the Union represented at the meeting
and in addition there were representa-
tives from two societies in Boston pres-
ent. There was a praise service of 15
minutes previous to the more formal
exercises of the hour. The devotional
exercises were conducted by the Rev.
Dr. Watson, pastor of the Arlington

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"One of my dearest friends has gone
back on me" was what a young man
said to us the other day. Why my dear
fellow those are the only kind who will
forsake you and leave you out in the
cold. So don't be surprised, for your
cause of complaint is not an unusual
one. It is the same experience over
and over again. The declaration was
and is still, "thou knowest that I love
thee," and then almost immediately
follows the betrayal.

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Baptist church, and then came a soprano
solo by Miss A. Josephine Learned. A
pleasing address of welcome was made
by Mr. Edward W. Nicoll. At 8 o'clock
five-minute papers were read by Miss
Emily Perkins, Mr. James W. Baston
and Mr. Edward Nicoll on the follow-
ing questions, namely: "How improve
the prayer meetings? How better the
committee work? and what new under-
takings?" These papers were followed
by the discussion, conducted by the
president of the union, of the following
queries: "Where can we form new
young people's societies?" and "How
increase the number of junior and in-
termediate societies?" These two ques-
tions were discussed in the form of
questions asked, which were answered
from the platform. At this point the
audience was entertained by a baritone
solo, by Mr. Charles Pierce. Following
the solo came the consideration of the
questions "Canst thou personally sup-
port a representative on the mission
field?" "Canst thou society?" "Canst
a group of societies of the same denomi-
nation?" The discussion was conducted
by Fred M. Gilbert of Boston. An in-
teresting letter was read by Miss Em-
ma F. Bennett, secretary of the union,
from the Rev. S. F. Hatch of Monson,
the state president. After singing the
closing hymn, the Rev. Dr. Stembridge
pastor of the Park Ave. Congregational
church, pronounced the benediction.
It may safely be said that the Middle-
sex Central Christian Endeavor Union
has never before in its history had a
more enjoyable and successful rally than
the one had on Wednesday evening.

The representatives of the different
societies were evidently interested in
the work of the evening. The social
hour was a pleasant feature of the pro-
gramme.

BELMONT.

Mr. Joseph Frost has so far recovered
from his recent illness, that he is now
attending to his duties in the post
office.

Mr. Chant on Concord avenue is ill
with typhoid pneumonia.

Mrs. A. A. Adams is confined to her
room through illness.

The new engine house will soon be
completed.

The several progressive whist clubs
are about starting up for the winter.

A man by the name of Hickey from
Newton was killed on the Fitchburg
railroad at this point on Thursday eve-
ning. Mr. Hickey was a carpenter and
had just been employed to help on with
the engine house now in process of
erection. Thursday was his first day at
his new job. The day's work over Mr.
Hickey started for the depot to take the
train on the Fitchburg road. For some
reason that cannot be explained, he did
not see the train coming in from Waver-
ly before it was on him, killing him in-
stantly. The unfortunate man must
have been a good deal careless, as the
railroad is to be seen both ways for a
considerable distance from the point
where he was killed. Mr. Hickey was
somewhere about 50 years of age. He
leaves a family.

We told you that Admiral Dewey
evidently was "dead in love." Now
we know it, or otherwise he wouldn't
have called on the minister so soon. We
admire the admiral more and more as
the days go on.

Several of our personal friends were
slaughtered on Long Island in the fight
of ballots on Tuesday, one losing a \$5000
position, and the other failing to catch
on to a \$5000 place for which he was
nominated. While it is comparatively
an easy matter to elect your man just
previous to the election, it is quite a
different thing to deliver him the ma-
jority on the day the ballots are thrown.

Dogs Growing Weaker.

Experts agree that the life of a dog
is shortened by close breeding and ex-
hibition and that we are gradually
raising dogs that will not be so long
lived as the semi-wild mongrel types.

The best thing to be done when evil
comes upon us is not to resort to lam-
entation, but to act; not to sit and
suffer, but to rise and seek the remedy.

Chicago's Queer Indian.

An Englishman of rank and money
visited Chicago recently and with him
came his private secretary, a young,
fresh faced, jolly fellow just out of
Oxford university. The secretary
brought letters of introduction to a
Chicago man from a well known Lon-
don actor and an equally prominent
man of letters. The Englishman came
direct to Chicago, making no stop in
New York. The secretary called upon
the Chicago man to whom he had let-
ters and who did a little entertaining,
inviting three city friends to meet the
private secretary at luncheon at a not-
ed restaurant.

It was after the cigars were lighted
that the conversation turned upon
things American. The Chicagoans
knew that the Britons were credited
with believing that they could shoot
buffaloes under the shade of the Audi-
torium and shoot grizzlies along the
Shokey, but they were not quite pre-
pared for what was to come. The lit-
tle luncheon party had been waited
upon by a coal black negro with crisp
hair curled tight to his head. The se-
cretary throughout the repast had eyed
the attendant with interest. When the
waiter finally had left the room, the
English guest turned to his host and
said:

"Mr. Nelson, it seems to me that I
read somewhere that the American In-
dians had straight hair. The hair of
the one who waited on us curls like
astrakhan."—Chicago Tribune.

Washing Out the Stomach.

Within recent years those physicians
who have made a specialty of diseases
of the stomach have become convinced
that the only satisfactory method of
treating a great variety of stomach
troubles is by washing out the stom-
ach. This little performance is car-
ried out by means of a flexible soft
rubber tube, swallowed by the patient.
At the other end of the tube is a rub-
ber funnel, and when the stomach
tube has reached the stomach warm
water or some medicated fluid is pour-
ed in, and the stomach is subjected to
a thorough cleaning.

Disagreeable indeed the process is at
first. Indeed, for the first few times
of the introduction of the tube the pa-
tient has often to be held down forc-
ibly to his seat. Then, curious to state,
the dyspeptic gets used to the stomach
tube and even begins to like it. The
cranks express such a longing for it
that long after they are cured of their
trouble they go on using the stomach
pump once, twice or even three times
a day. They haunt the physician's of-
fice and become his bugbear during his
office hours. Then finally, when the
medical man puts his foot down and
flatly refuses to pass the tube any
more, they procure a stomach pump
for themselves and use it before a
looking glass.

Table Manners in Old France.

Could we restore for half an hour the
dinner table of old France and obtain
half a dozen instantaneous photo-
graphs of a royal banquet at any era
between the reigns of Francis I and
Louis Quatorze, such a "cataclysm
of laughter" would be heard as might
disturb the serenity of Louis in pa-
radise.

The duchess, her napkin tied secure-
ly round her neck, would be seen mum-
bling a bone, the noble marquis sur-
reptitiously scratching himself, the
belle marquise withdrawing her spoon
from her lips to help a neighbor to
saute with it, another fair creature
scouring her plate with her bread, a
gallant courtier using his doublet or
the tablecloth as a towel for his fin-
gers and two footmen holding a yard
of damask under a lady's chin while
she emptied her goblet at a draft.

During a feast of inordinate length
it was sometimes necessary to substi-
tute a clean cloth for the one which
the carelessness or bad manners of
the guests had reduced to a deplorable
condition.—"An Idler in Old France"
by Tighe Hopkins.

Appalling Brutality.

Miss Slessor, Scotch missionary, who
has been 24 years in Africa, has her-
self saved the lives of over 50 twins.

When twins are born, they are at
once taken from the mother, and if no
one intercedes they are at once taken
by the feet and head and have their
backs broken across a native woman's
knee, in the same manner as one would
break a stick. The bodies are then
placed in an earthenware receptacle
and taken to the bush, where they are
devoured by the flies, insects or ani-
mals. Sometimes the little victims
are put into these receptacles alive and
are then eaten alive in the same way.

The mother becomes an outcast. If
she does not at once take her own life,
she has to flee to the bush. If she
ventures near the town or village, she
must see that she does not remain on
the path when any other native is com-
ing. Her presence, according to their
superstition, would defile the place for
others. She must not drink from the
same spring, must not touch anything
even belonging to her own relatives.—
Missionary Review of the World.

California's Shark Oil Industry.

The making of shark oil is the im-
portant industry of McGarvin's Cove,
near Riverside. The process of manu-
facture is decidedly primitive. The
sharks are caught in every imaginable
way, by bait and hook, but principally
with the seine. The livers, which con-
tain the oil, after being taken from the
fish, are rendered out in cans set over
a brush fire, reminding one somewhat
of the process of obtaining the oil from
whale blubber. The oil is then put
into casks and shipped to Los Angeles.

The coarser grades are used in the
making of tarpaulls and other oiled
cloths for use aboard ships, while the
finer grades are put into the so called
cod liver oil of commerce. The sharks
average from 10 to 25 cents' worth of
oil apiece, and a day's catch usually
nets about \$40.—Riverside Press.

Isolated People of the Earth.

The people who live in the northern
portion of the peninsula of Kamchatka
are probably the most isolated in the
world. The people have practically no
communication with others than their
own tribe, being seldom visited by
travelers.

The inhabitants of the New Siberian
Islands are also detached people, for
they can only communicate with the
mainland once a year even if the
weather is favorable.

The pygmies of the great central Af-
rican forests, if they can be called a
tribe, have also been a people apart.
For ages their existence was little
more than legendary, and only two ex-
peditions commanded by white men
have ever penetrated into their abode.

Spell This.

Some of you who think you are well
up in spelling just try to spell the
words in this little sentence:

"It is agreeable to witness the un-
paralleled ecstasy of two harassed ped-
dlers endeavoring to gauge the symme-
try of two peeled pears."

Read it over to your friends and see
how many of them can spell every
word correctly. The sentence contains
many of the real puzzlers of the spell-
ing book.

The trouble with most of us is that
we throw musty old crusts on the wa-
ter and expect frosted cake in return.
—Aitchison Globe.